

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Normal.	Current.
Prices of food grains—Rice	10 to 11	7 to 8
Ragi	25 to 30	25 to 28.

State of standing crops fair.

Ragi under harvest.

Prospect of outturn 8 to 10 annas.

Cattle in good condition.

Water and fodder sufficient.

BANGALORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are in good condition. The punaji grains are being harvested. Rice has come to harvest. Bengal gram or kadale is being sown.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health generally good. Fever prevails in Magadi, Devanhalli and Closepet.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder sufficiently available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Vaisakhi paddy is being sown in all the taluks of the district. Karthika paddy is being harvested throughout the district. Ragi in Bowringpet, Bagepalli and Srinivasapur; avare in Srinivasapur and Malur; samé and kulthi in Goribidnur and Malur; and ground-nuts in Chikballapur are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season very good. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be generally in good condition. Togare and avare crops have suffered by rain and cloudy weather. Sugar-cane in Gubbi and Kunigal; paddy in Maddagiri, Gubbi, Turuvekere, Pavagada and Kunigal; ragi and kulthi in Maddagiri, Gubbi, Tiptur and Kunigal; kulthi in Turuvekere, Tumkur and in parts of Koratagere; jola in Maddagiri and Gubbi; castor in Turuvekere and Pavagada; avare, togare and wild gingelly in Gubbi; and cotton in Pavagada are being harvested. Paddy in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Sira, Gubbi, Pavagada; and in parts of Koratagere; jola, wheat and Bengal gram in Maddagiri and Pavagada; and Bengal gram and coriander in Turuvekere are being sown.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, viz., paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, kulthi, black and green grams, Bengal gram, togare, ballar, castor, cotton, chillies, thadagane, coriander, haraka and mulberry are reported to be in a fair condition. Paddy, ragi, black and green grams, thadagane, castor and chillies are being harvested in parts of the district. Kulthi, black and green grams, halasandi, togare, Bengal gram and ballar are reported to be still attacked by insects in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season generally good.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, i.e., kar-paddy, castor, kulthi, cow-gram, pigeon-pea, kadale, black gram and huchellu in Hassan; sugar-cane in Belur and Channarayapatna; ragi, cow-gram, sugar-cane, paddy, kulthi and chillies in Arsikere; cow-gram, pigeon-pea, thadagane etc., in Hole-Narsipur; pigeon-pea, kulthi and castor in Arkalgud; and sugar-cane, cow-gram and kulthi in Alur are in good condition. Paddy, black gram, kulthi, chillies and pigeon-pea in Hassan; paddy in Manjarabad, Hole-Narsipur and Arkalgud; and paddy and ragi in Channarayapatna are being harvested, and garlic is being sown in Hassan.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks available.
11. Public health generally good. Fever and cold prevail in parts of Hole-Narsipur.
12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder sufficiently available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. The harvest of paddy is nearing completion in the Sagar and Nagar Taluks. Sugar-cane is being milled in the Shikarpur and Tirthahalli Taluks; and kulthi harvested in Shimoga, Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks; sugar-cane is being planted in the Shikarpur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.
11. Public health good. Ague is prevailing in parts of Kumsi, Sagar, Sorab and Tirthahalli Taluks and small-pox in parts of Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks.
12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder abundant.

KADUR.

8. Market fairly supplied.

9. State of standing crops good. Paddy is being harvested generally in all the taluks. Cardamom and arecanut are being picked in the Malnad Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.
11. Public health generally good. Ague is prevalent in the Chikmagalur and Mudgere Taluks.
12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Ragi and paddy in the Jagalur Taluk; pigeon-pea in the Harihar Sub-Taluk; ragi, jola, kambu and paddy in the Chitaldrug Taluk; and paddy in the Molakalmuru Taluk are being harvested. Paddy is being sown in Challakere and Molakalmuru Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.
11. Public health generally good.
12. Cattle healthy. In parts of Davangere cattle are reported to be suffering from foot disease. Fodder and water are reported to be available.

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